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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

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Plaintiff,

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, et al.

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 05-0027

Order Re Case Management
Conference

In accordance with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16 and Local Rule 16.2CJ, each of the above-named shall be present at the Case Management Conference, set for Monday, January 22, 2007, at 8:30 a.m.

The parties shall be prepared to discuss:

- (a) Service of process on parties not yet served;
- (b) Jurisdiction and venue;
- (c) Track assignment;
- (d) Anticipated motions;
- (e) Anticipated or remaining discovery, including (1) limitation on discovery,
 (2) and provisions for disclosure or discovery of electronically stored information; and, (3) any agreements the parties reach for asserting claims of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material after production;
- (f) Further proceedings, including setting dates for discovery cut-off, pretrial and trial;
- (g) Appropriateness of special procedures such as consolidation of actitors discovery or pretrial, reference to a master or to arbitration, or to the Judicial Panel on Multi-district Litigation, or application of the Manual for Complex Litigation;

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- (h) Modifications of the standard pretrial procedures specified by this Plan on account of the relative simplicity or complexity of the action or proceeding;
- (i) Settlement prospects;
- (j) Any other matter which may be conducive to the just, efficient, and economical determination of the proceedings, including the definition or limitation of issues; and,
- (k) Setting of dates for:
 - 1. Joinder of all parties,
 - 2. Motions to amend,
 - 3. Discovery cut-off,
 - 4. Status Conferences,
 - 5. Discovery motion hearing date,
 - 6. Dispositive motion cut-off,
 - 7. Dispositive motion hearing date,
 - 8. Settlement conference,
 - 9. Joint pretrial order,
 - 10. Final pretrial order,
 - 11. Trial.

The Court recommends that this case be assigned to the Standard track as defined by Local Rule 16.2CJ.c.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 4th day of January, 2007.

Judge Alex R. Munson